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1. CHANGE ACTION OFFICER FROM CAO TO ROCAP/RILEY.

2. SUGGESTED PARTICIPANTS ARE AS FOLLOWS: CATEGORY 1: MAX KOBERG, PRESIDENT OF THE CENTRAL AMERICAN INDUSTRIAL FEDERATION (FECAICA). KOBERG IS A COSTA RICAN. CATEGORY 2: DR. JORGE ARIAS, CHIEF APPLIED SCIENCES DEVISION, CENTRAL AMERICAN INSTITUTION FOR INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY (ICAITI). DR. ARIAS IS THE FORMER RECTOR OF THE UNIVERSITY OF SAN CARLOS IN GUATEMALA. HE HAS BEEN TENTATIVELY NAMED TO BE THE ICAITI PROJECT MANAGER FOR THE ROCAP/ICAITI TRANSFER OF TECHNOLOGY PROJECT WHICH IS IN THE FINAL STAGE OF DESIGN. DR. ARIAS IS A GUATEMALAN. CATEGORY 3: A) DR. GABRIEL DENGO, DIRECTOR (ICAITI), DR. DENGO IS THE HIGHEST OFFICIAL IN CENTRAL AMERICA STRONGLY INTERESTED IN AND AN ADVOCATE OF TECHNOLOGY

TRANSFER. DR. DENGO'S PRIMARY FIELD IS GEOLOGY. HE IS A COSTA RICAN. B) LIC. FRANCISCO AGUIRRE, DEPUTY DIRECTOR (ICAITI). LIC. AGUIRRE HAS BEEN WITH ICAITI FOR APPROXIMATELY 18 YEARS. HE, AS HAVE DENGO AND ARIAS HAS WORKED DIRECTLY WITH ROCAP IN DESIGNING THE AFOREMENTIONED TRANSFER OF TECHNOLOGY PROJECT. LIC. AGUIRRE'S UNCLASSIFIED

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